

REMARKS

Applicant has carefully considered the Restriction Requirement of September 19, 2005, and offers the following election in response thereto.

Applicant herein elects Group I, claims 1-11 drawn to path finding in VPN tunneling without traverse. Claims 12-16 are canceled in light of this election. Claims 3, 4, and 6 are also amended to correct antecedent basis issues and correct the dependency of claim 4. No new matter is added.

Applicant requests examination and allowance of claims 1-11 at the Examiner's earliest convenience.


Respectfully submitted,

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